

SENATE RESOLUTION 185

By Norris

A RESOLUTION to honor the occasion of City Drug Company of Dyersburg upon its 125th anniversary.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly salute those exemplary institutions that, through an abiding commitment to excellence, are a credit to their communities and this State; and

WHEREAS, the City Drug Company of Dyersburg is one such extraordinary institution deserving of special recognition; and

WHEREAS, City Drug Company was started in 1884 by H.T. Wood; for the past forty years, Danny Dedmon has owned the local establishment; and

WHEREAS, on Friday, September 18, 2009, City Drug representatives, local residents, city and county officials, and patrons joined together for a 125th anniversary celebration in front of the building; and

WHEREAS, the Dedmons and the staff at City Drug company were treated to honors from the city, county, and Chamber of Commerce at the ceremony, which ended a weeklong celebration, with drawings and special events having been held throughout the week; and

WHEREAS, the City Drug Company is a stellar organization whose employees have graciously weathered the ups and downs of an ever-changing market while staying true to City Drug's core philosophy to develop strong relationships with its customers by providing excellent service and competitive products that exceed normal standards; and

WHEREAS, the future for City Drug Company remains bright as the company's owners and employees prepare for many more years as an innovative and successful business; and

WHEREAS, the management and employees of City Drug Company continue to play an integral role in the economic life of the greater Dyersburg community and are richly deserving of this Body's recognition; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and congratulate the current owners, Danny and Delores Dedmon, and employees of City Drug Company on 125 years of extraordinary success and commend their dedication in establishing City Drug Company as one of the finest businesses in Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.